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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action of May 18, 2006. Reconsideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.